

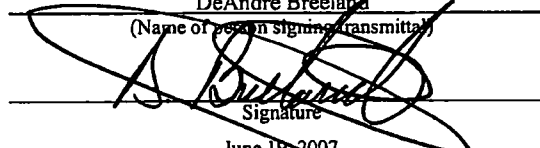
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Yoshikatsu Niwa, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/965,030  
For : DATA TRANSFER APPARATUS, NETWORK  
SYSTEM, AND DATA TRANSFER METHOD  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on April 19, 2007, having a  
three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on July 19, 2007, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows.

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